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NEW BOOKS

BROMFIELD, LOUIS, A FEW BRASS TACKS. New York. Harper 1946. 303 p. 280.12 B784
The author sets down his doubts and convictions as he attempts to arrive at some answer to the tragic political, economic and social problems of our time.

"This book is simply the record of the intellectual processes of one individual trying to find his way and at times to force his way out of the jungle and morass of man's troubled life, in which man, caught in the maze of his own selfishness, stupidity, ambition, greed and intricate mechanical ingenuity, lives in a perpetual state of nerves. A man looks about him today for leadership or a solution of the demoralizing perplexities which surround him. Largely speaking, salvation in these times is held forth to troubled mankind either by the demagogues or by the reactionaries. Economic prosperity and the privileges of growth and development which accompany it, are not achieved by short-cuts and fanciful and visionary theories, but by work and experience and faith and wisdom." The Author.

CITIZENS' FACT-FINDING MOVEMENT OF GEORGIA: GEORGIA FACTS IN FIGURES; A SOURCE BOOK. Athens, Ga. University of Georgia Press. 1946. 179 p. 252.19 C49.
The compilation of basic data on Georgia, which the Fact-Finding Movement now presents in this book is the result of four years of work. It is designed to facilitate comparisons of Georgia with the nation. Consequently, not only what Georgia has is shown but also its ratio to the national whole. The volume consists of tables, maps and charts and is thoroughly indexed.

FISHER, RONALD A. STATISTICAL METHODS FOR RESEARCH WORKERS. Edinburg, London. Oliver & Boyd. 1946. 10th Edition, rev. 354 p. 251 F53.
Often the analysis of large masses of data by statistical methods is necessary, and the biological worker is continually encountering advanced statistical problems the adequate solutions of which are not found in current statistical text-books. To meet these needs the present monograph was prepared, and the early call for the first and second editions indicates the success attained by the author in this project.

GRESH, WALTER A. THE HANDBOOK OF GAME AND FISH MANAGEMENT. Minneapolis 1946.
Contents: Fiscal; license & permits; administration; maps; fish; lands; water-fowl; and miscellaneous.

Those engaged in wildlife management either directly or indirectly constantly have need for data on the various species. These charts, maps etc. are offered to fill the many needs and as a ready reference. This general information is a great help to man's top sports- hunting and fishing.

KALSER, PALMER J. PRACTICAL SUPERVISION. New York. McGraw-Hill Book company, inc. 1945. 186 p. 240.3 K12.

A supervisor's value is proportionate to the usefulness of the group of people whose efforts he directs. Ability to establish and maintain an effective organization that meets current needs and readily adapts itself to changing requirements is a first essential for every supervisor or executive. You will enjoy this book with its cunning illustrations that make reading interesting and pleasant.

KUNLIEN, LORAINÉ L. THE FRIENDLY EVERGREENS. Dundee, Ill. D. Hill Nursery Co. 1946. 257 p. 97.32 K96F.

"The position which Evergreens occupy in the plant world, has been briefly told, descriptions of the more important trees have been given, their use in landscaping the home grounds has been touched upon and some cultural information has been included. This practical information it is hoped will prove useful and interesting in leading many lovers of nature into a better understanding of the Friendly Evergreens." Preface.

McMTEE, WALDO LEE. WILDFOWL FOOD PLANTS; THEIR VALUE, PROPAGATION AND MANAGEMENT. Ames, Iowa. Collegiate Press, Inc. 1939. 141 p. 413 ML1W.

The present publication attempts to comment on all wildfowl food plants of both general and local importance, to summarize information on methods of propagating them, and to discuss the principal environmental factors affecting the plants, and ways in which some of them can be managed by man for his own purposes and for the benefit of the birds.

MORRISON, E.G. FARM TRACTOR MAINTENANCE. Danville, Ill. The Interstate, Inc. 1946. 202 p. 58 L257F.

The modern farm tractor is the result of many years of development. Its present efficiency is possible because of engineering progressing design, metallurgy, fuel, lubricants, manufacturing methods and in many other respects. The careful operator needs correct information as well as the will to do in order to succeed with preventive maintenance.

ODUM, HOWARD WASHINGTON. IN SEARCH OF THE REGIONAL BALANCE OF AMERICA. Chapel Hill, University of North Carolina Press. 1945. 162 p. 390.002 Oa31.

"The conclusion that the most dynamic problem in postwar America, namely, the achievement of the regional quality and balance of America, is of one part with the search for a better regional balance of people and resources everywhere. This fact adds strength to our promises of American regionalism and new purposes to continued research and planning in this field." Editor

THOMPSON, WILFRED SIMPSON. POPULATION PROBLEMS. New York. McGraw-Hill Book Co., Inc. 1942 Ed.3. 471 p. 280 T37P.

In a world undergoing as many and as rapid changes in the growth and organization of population as ours it is not to be wondered at that many people desire to know more about what is happening to our population. Human welfare is so obviously bound up with the growth in numbers, with the make-up of these numbers, their disposition in space, and with the quality of human stock that the problems involved can be ignored only at great peril to our present and future welfare. It is the hope of contributing somewhat to the better understanding of these problems that this book has been written. --Introduction.

THOMPSON, WARREN S. PLENTY OF PEOPLE. Lancaster, Pa. Jaques Cattell Press. 1944
246 p. 280 T37PL.

"In the United States we have come to take for granted the naturalness of rapid population growth and we have also assumed that this rapid growth increased the general welfare. We have never had occasion to consider seriously the relation of numbers to food supply, nor have we needed to consider whether we were numerous enough to defend ourselves from our possible enemies. However, several situations have arisen in recent years which have given us occasion to wonder whether there may not be some relation between numbers and welfare other than that we have so casually assumed. We have had a great depression with millions of men out of work for years at a time; we have taken a census which for the first time showed that we were rapidly becoming a stationary people. Is it good that we are becoming a stationary people? Can we maintain our world position in the future? And always we come back to ask do we have too many people? All these questions involving numbers and their relation to welfare make it incumbent on us to look into these matters more carefully than in the past; to try to understand how population growth is related to welfare and how it may be controlled to this end if it seems desirable to do so." Preface

This book is an attempt to introduce the lay reader to the problems of population growth. The writer has, therefore, tried to avoid technical discussions and has ignored or glossed over many points which would be of interest to specialists.

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Misc. Rep. no. 93. Washington, D.C. 1945. 166.3 M68.
RESEARCH PRACTICES AND PROBLEMS OF FARMERS' REGIONAL ASSOCIATIONS. U.S. Farm
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ALFALFA PRODUCTION IN SOUTH CAROLINA. S.C. Ext. Ser. Circ. no. 290. Clemson 1946.
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